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11. The Executive Secretary directed a Task Force be established in the Operations Center for the Afghan elections effective 0515 EDT 08/19/2009. Contact information for the Task Force is as follows:

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- 12. The Task Force will be under the direction of Vikram Singh, Senior Defense Advisor in the Office of the Special Representative for Afghanistan and Pakistan. Representatives from SCA, PA, USAID, and OSD will participate in the Task Force.
- 13. The Task Force is the center of all Department activity regarding this situation. All reporting related to the Task Force should include the same indicator which appears at the beginning of the subject line of this message: TFAF01.
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